



HOUSE COMMITTEE ON **NATURAL RESOURCES**

Key Provisions of the Grand Staircase Escalante Enhancement Act (Rep. Stewart, R-UT)

- **Creates Utah’s sixth national park – Escalante Canyons National Park.**
 - The new park conserves this nationally important area while allowing access for hunting, fishing, trapping, and grazing.
 - The park maps are still being finalized by the local communities, but the boundaries will fall within the newly created Escalante Canyons Unit of the Grand Staircase-Escalante National Monument.
- **Management Council:** Creates a “Management Council” comprised of local officials to draft and oversee a management plan for the new monument and National Park, giving local leaders a powerful voice and seat at the table.
- **Codifies President Trump’s New Proclamation:** This bill codifies the boundaries of the new Grand Staircase-Escalante National Monument, as outlined by President Trump.
- **“Hole in the Rock Road” Land Transfer:** Transfers “Hole in the Rock Road” to the state of Utah in recognition of this historically significant Mormon Pioneer trail.